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Congress of the United States

JOINT COMMITTEE ON REDUCTION OF NONESSENTIAL FEDERAL EXPENDITURES

(CREATED PURSUANT TO SEC. 601 OF THE REVENUE ACT OF 1941)

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Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director of Central Intelligence
Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Dulles:

Under authority of Section 601 of the Revenue Act of 1941 (55 Stat. 726), the Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditures requires information relative to Second Hoover Commission recommendations applicable to agencies and their administration, activities, programs and projects under your jurisdiction, as follows:

1. List of all recommendations, with your estimate of annual expenditure savings in each instance, assuming full acceptance and implementation.
2. List of all recommendations fully implemented to date.
3. List of all recommendations partially implemented to date, with your estimate of annual expenditure savings in each instance based on that part implemented.
4. List of all recommendations which have not been implemented to any degree to date.

If there are government-wide recommendations incapable of specific application to agencies, activities, programs and projects under your jurisdiction, it will be appreciated if you will identify them with explanation in each instance.

Your views and comments on any aspect of the subject of this inquiry will be welcomed. Response to this inquiry is requested not later than June 15, 1957.

Very truly yours,

Harry F. Byrd